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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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**MAJOR OCEAN BEACH ACCESS ROAD FINALLY
REPAVED**

WHEN: Friday, June 9, 2006 at 1:00 p.m.

WHERE: South end of Abbott Street, where it meets Newport Avenue

WHAT: A Ribbon cutting ceremony celebrating the repaving of Abbott Street, the main beach access road in Ocean Beach. Abbott has been under constant construction for the last year due to utility undergrounding, storm drain repair, and general street repair. The City of San Diego has a self-imposed moratorium on street construction near the beaches from Memorial Day to Labor Day, but because of the importance of this construction project, the moratorium was pushed back to accommodate completion of this project.

WHO: Councilmember Kevin Faulconer, San Diego, District 2
Richard Haas, City of San Diego Director of Public Works
Marcellano Ortiz, President/Owner of Ortiz Construction
City Public Works staff: Patti Boekamp, the Director of Engineering and Capital Projects, Hossein Ruhn, Deputy Director, and inspectors Jose Navarro, Mike Bourgult and Yaftha Ghilimichael.

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